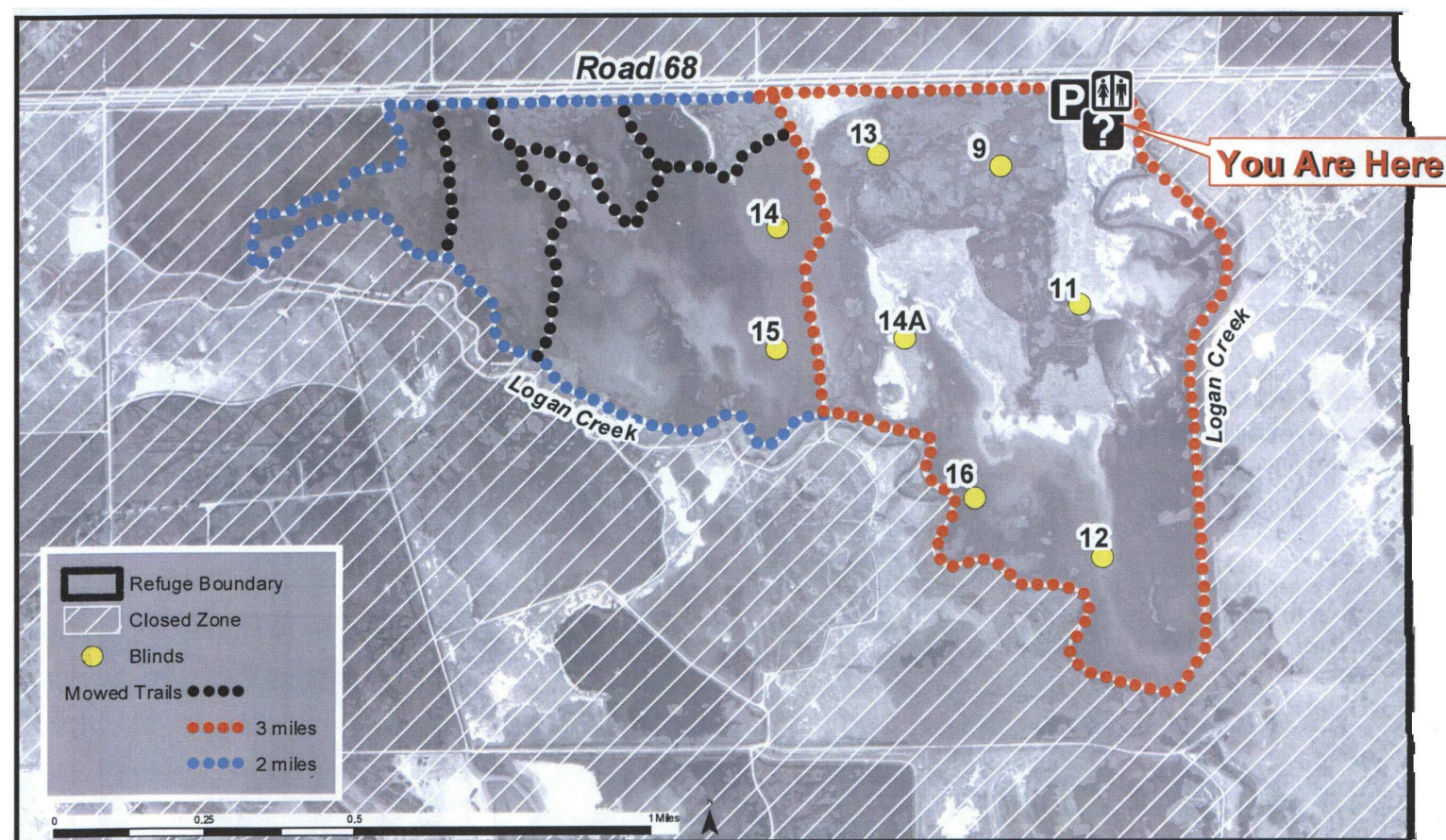


Habitat Conditions for the Month of: **March 2010**



Trails may be uneven or wet. Therefore, boots with good ankle support are recommended.

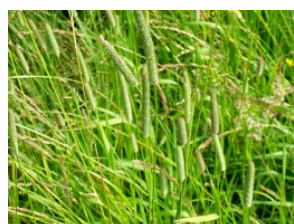
Blind #	Dominant Vegetation	Water Depth	% Open Water	Comments
9	Tule Timothy	Moderate	50%	
11	Timothy Cocklebur	Moderate	95%	
12	Bermuda Timothy	Deep	98%	Long walk, chest waders recommended
13	Tule Timothy	Moderate	50%	
14	Timothy Cocklebur	Moderate/Deep	95%	
14A	Timothy Cocklebur	Shallow/Moderate	80%	Follow guide stakes for shallowest water
15	Smartweed Bermuda	Deep	50%	Chest waders recommended
16	Tule Timothy	Deep	75%	Chest waders recommended



Tule

6-12 ft.

Thick, round, pithy
No leaves
Seeds: brown, small, loose clusters



Timothy

20"– 5 ft.

Grassy
Flat leaves
Seeds: densely packed spikelets



Bermuda

6" - 11"

Semi-flat, purplish
Flat, short leaves
Seeds: 3-7
Individual spikes



Cocklebur

20" - 4 ft.

Coarse stem
Spirally arranged leaves
Seeds: spiny clusters



Smartweed

1-5 ft.

Stems swollen above nodes
Long, narrow leaves
Seeds: white/red

*All blinds are in-ground concrete pits surrounded by seasonally flooded marsh during the spring.



Water Depth Key:

Shallow	0-12"
Moderate	12-24"
Deep	>24"